

## Bulletin Announcements November 20, 2022



**The Sanctuary Flowers on this day**, are given to the glory of God, by Cheri and Mike Woods, in loving memory of our parents, Thomas and Nancy Woods, and Millie and Jim Booth.

### Poinsettia Dedications



Poinsettia Sunday will be December 11th. If you would like to dedicate a poinsettia plant, please fill out a dedication form (located in the West transept) and return to the church office with your check between November 13 – December 4.



### GayStraight@ParkLake 2022 Holiday Gift Card collection for Zebra Coalition Collecting through Sunday, December 11

The **GayStraight@Park Lake** group will be collecting gift cards and monetary contributions for the Zebra Coalition during the holiday season. The Zebra Coalition is a network that provides services to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and all youth (LGBTQ+) ages 13 – 24. The Coalition assists young people facing homelessness, bullying, isolation from their families, and physical, sexual, and drug abuse, with individualized programs to guide them to recovery and stability.

Please consider helping our youth in the Orlando area this holiday season. Needed are gift cards of \$5 and \$10 for economical meals (McDonald's, Wendy's, Subway, etc.) or somewhat larger amounts (\$20, \$25-\$50 ) for clothing, school supplies, and other goods (Walgreens, CVS, Target, Walmart, etc.). We can also convert your monetary gifts into gift cards. Please give or send your gift cards or cash to any member of Gay Straight@Park Lake between **Sunday, November 6 and Sunday, December 11**. Monetary contributions can also be made by sending a check to the church office or through the church website.

To learn more about the Zebra Coalition visit: <https://www.zebra youth.org>. Any questions please contact Howard Vincent Kurtz at [howardvincentkurtz@gmail.com](mailto:howardvincentkurtz@gmail.com).

*Thank You for your Support!!*

### Angel Stocking donations

(look for the Angel Stocking "Tree" in the West Transept)



Fill an Angel Stocking for Grace! Park Lake is again sponsoring "Angel Stockings" for the pediatric patients at Grace Medical Home, one of Park Lake's mission partners. Grace Medical Home reflects the heart of Christ by offering the highest level of health care to the low-income, uninsured in Orange County. Choose a donation slip from inside the stockings and send in your donation. Donations may be sent to the church office, placed in the collection plate, made on the [plpc.org](http://plpc.org) Giving Page, or given to Anne Vercheski.

Please have your donation in by December 4.

***Thank you for blessing these children!***



### 2022 Advent Devotional Book



The **2022 Advent Devotional** will be available to pick up in the West Transept, in the Sanctuary, on the First Sunday of Advent, **Sunday, November 27** and will be sent in a daily email. If you would like to receive the email version of the Advent

Devotional, and are not currently on our Park Lake Up2Date weekly email list, please contact Carol Bookhardt at [carolparklake@gmail.com](mailto:carolparklake@gmail.com) to be added.

*Thank You*

In appreciation, to our organist, Will Benton, from a grateful Park Lake Member:

“For me, a great time to pray is during the masterfully played prelude and postlude, thank you Will”.

**Sunday, December 4, 2022**

**Build Your Own Gingerbread House**

**Sponsored by Park Lake’s Esther Circle**



**All money collected will go to Habitat for Humanity of Greater Orlando and Osceola County**

**11:45 a.m. Struble Fellowship Hall/Patio**

**Children and Adults of all ages**

**Lunch: \$5 per person (Chili, PB&J, Fruit)**

**Gingerbread House: \$10 per kit**

Please R.S.V.P. to [erincook987@gmail.com](mailto:erincook987@gmail.com) or complete the Registration Form on the church website at [plpc.org](http://plpc.org), by November 30, 2022. Include: Name, Number of Adults/Children and Number of Gingerbread House kits (\$5 per person for lunch; \$10 per Gingerbread House kit).

**\*If you would like to donate money for candy for the Gingerbread House toppings, please contact Anne Vercheski at [avercheski@cfl.rr.com](mailto:avercheski@cfl.rr.com).**



**WASHINGTON SHORES PRESBYTERIAN FOOD PANTRY**

**Upcoming donation days: Tuesday, November 29**

**Special Project for the Holidays:** if you are able to go “over and above”, please donate \$5 toward the cost of canned hams.

**Thank you!**

(low stock items in **bold**)

**Food items:**

- Food with pop tops**
- Rice
- Canned corn
- Crackers
- Peanut butter
- Jelly
- Cereal

**Hygiene items:**

- Soap**
- Deodorant
- Disposable razors
- Socks (especially women’s)
- Toilet paper
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Dental floss
- Shampoo
- Sanitary supplies
- Women’s Incontinence items

**\*please check expiration dates on food items before donating.**



**Hanging of the Greens!**

**Let’s decorate the Sanctuary for the upcoming Advent Season**

**Thursday, December 1 - 6:00 pm**

**Hanging wreaths and garland (high ladder work).**

**Friday, December 2 - 9:00 am**

**Putting together window candle arrangements (seated or standing).**

**Please contact Evie Park at [evapark@cfl.rr.com](mailto:evapark@cfl.rr.com) to let her know you would like to help out.**

Pledged Income		Non Pledged Income	
Thru 09/30/22		Thru 09/30/22	
Budget	\$384,204	Budget	\$37,500
Actual	\$338,307	Actual	\$52,839
Difference	(\$45,897)	Difference	\$15,339

Park Lake Operating Budget Thru 09/30/22			
	Income	Expenses	Difference
Budget	\$472,275	\$476,994	(\$4,719)
Actual	\$448,297	\$455,994	(\$7,697)

**Church Staff**

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|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Co-pastors              | Rev. Dr. Helen DeBevoise      |
|                         | Rev. Dr. Dan DeBevoise        |
| Parish Associate        | Rev. Dr. Linda Wright Simmons |
| Organist, Director FAVO | Will Benton                   |
| Choir Director          | Robb Ross                     |
| Child Care Center       | Director, Barbara Twachtman   |
| Financial Administrator | Linda Castle                  |
| Church Secretary        | Carol Bookhardt               |
| Maintenance             | Keith Bridges                 |
| Librarian               | Alice Schmidt                 |
| Nursery Staff           | Barbara Boyce                 |

**Church Missionaries**

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|------------|------------------------|
| Madagascar | Dan and Elizabeth Turk |
| Mozambique | Sebber Banda           |
|            | Rev. Carlos Faquione   |